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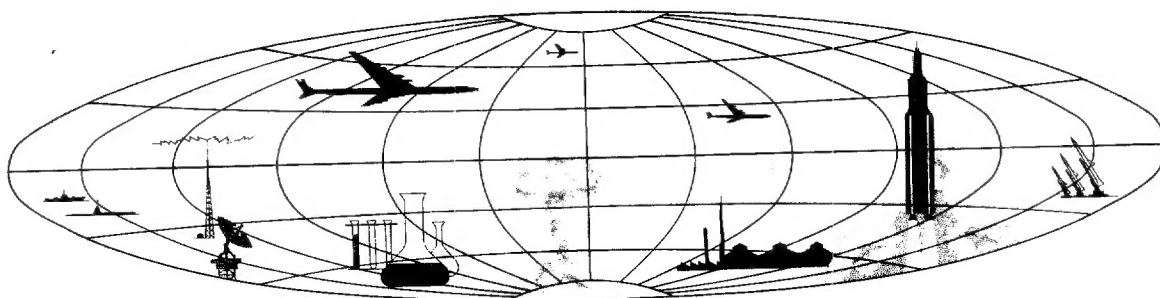


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PREFACE

This report is one in a series on Soviet Ground Force and Logistic installations being prepared for a DIA/CIA Panel. The series is being coordinated, published and disseminated by NPIC. The photographic analysis is being performed by the NPIC Photographic Analysis Group, the CIA Photographic Intelligence Division (NPIC), and the Production Center 1P1c (DIA). The photographic analysis for this particular report was performed by the Production Center 1P1c.

In the interest of uniformity, the titles and letter designators for the facilities observed at these installations are identical with those appearing in the project requirement. When a specific facility is not observed both its title and letter designator are omitted in the report.

Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (H) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage/maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank/assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training areas or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

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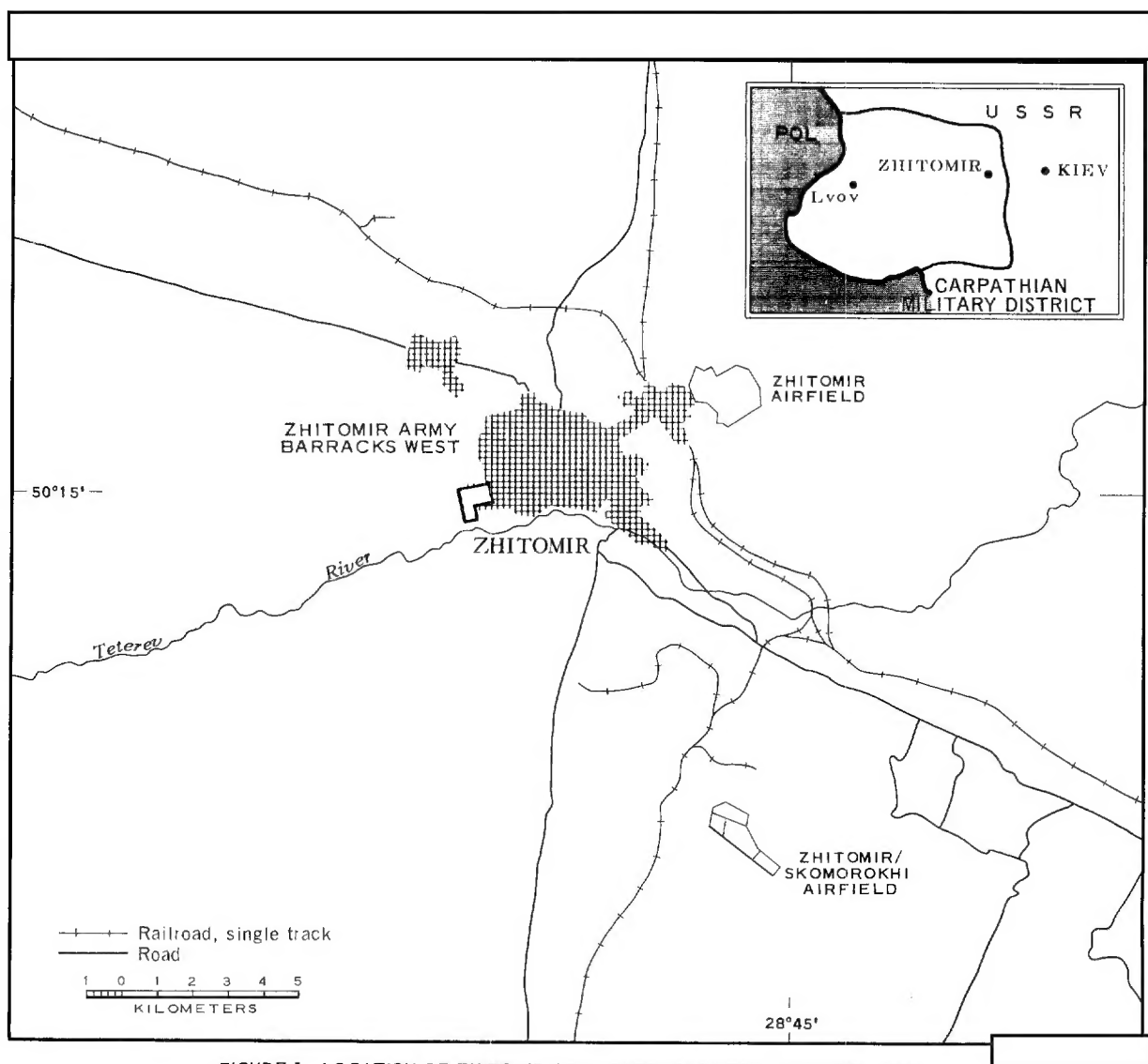
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ZHITOMIR ARMY BARRACKS WEST

(50-15N 028-38E)

ZHITOMIR, ZHITOMIRSKAYA OBLAST, USSR

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FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF ZHITOMIR ARMY BARRACKS WEST, ZHITOMIR, USSR.

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SUMMARY

This 100-acre installation is 3 kilometers (km) west of the center of Zhitomir, along a road leading to Chudnov and just north of the Teterev River (Figure 1). No rail service is observed. Visible in the administrative, housing, and general storage areas are a multi-storied barracks, three multistoried administration buildings, 15 storage sheds, seven support buildings/sheds, and a POL shed probably used for gasoline storage. In the vehicle maintenance areas are 11 maintenance/vehicle storage sheds, 18 maintenance/storage build-

ings, and an industrial-type building with a monitor roof which is used for major maintenance and overhaul of vehicles (Figures 2 and 3).

The Air Target Chart covering this installation refers to it as an anti-tank training unit; however, it is now believed that the major function is vehicle maintenance and overhaul for all wheeled vehicles/trucks in the Zhitomir area.

The installation has been covered by [redacted] missions [redacted]

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DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Railroad Service

No railroad or spur serves the installation. The Novograd-Volynskiy--Berdichev railroad passes just east of Zhitomir, 5.5 km from this installation.

Road Service

A road from Zhitomir to Chudnov passes through the installation.

Administrative and Troop Housing Areas

Area D1 contains one multistoried barracks and two support sheds. Area D2 contains two L-shaped multistoried administration buildings, one T-shaped multistoried administration building, and five small support buildings.

General Storage Areas

Area E1 contains three storage sheds and five smaller sheds. Area E2 contains three storage sheds and four smaller storage sheds.

POL Storage Area

Area G contains one 60- by 20-foot POL shed within a 300- by 300-foot walled area. The shed is probably used for gasoline storage.

Equipment Storage/Maintenance Areas

Area J1 contains eight 130- by 40-foot maintenance/vehicle storage buildings and six

smaller maintenance/storage buildings. A large number of small wheeled vehicles are parked in the area. Area J2 contains one T-shaped industrial-type building with a monitor roof. The main building measures 290 by 130 feet, the monitor roof 290 by 70 feet, and the T 210 by 60 feet. The building is used for major maintenance and overhaul of vehicles and trucks. The area also contains one 190- by 50-foot L-shaped maintenance/storage building and four 90- by 50-foot maintenance/storage buildings. Area J3 contains three 230- by 60-foot maintenance/vehicle storage buildings and seven 60- by 40-foot maintenance/storage buildings. Many small vehicles are parked in this area.

Athletic Field

Area K contains one oval track.

Small Arms Firing Range

Area L is a 430- by 60-foot small arms firing range.

Driver Training Area

Area M contains two circular tracks for driver training/vehicle checkout.

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FIGURE 2. ZHITOMIR ARMY BARRACKS WEST, ZHITOMIR, USSR,

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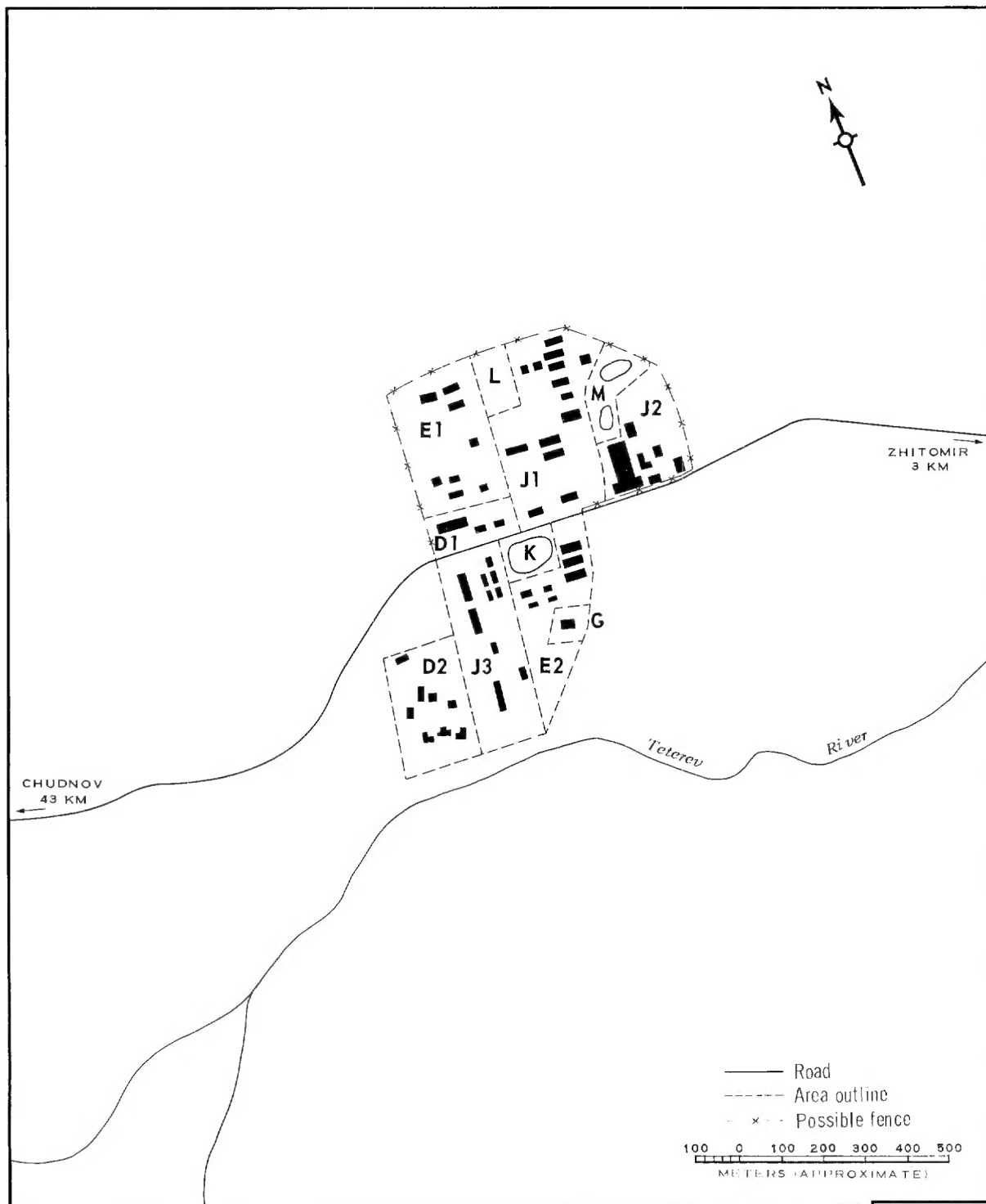
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FIGURE 3. ZHITOMIR ARMY BARRACKS WEST. Sketch compiled from

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